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## PRESIDENT NOBLE RETIRE AT ONCE

Accepted Office Only at Call  
of Friendship.

Has Never Used a Cent of the Salary  
for Himself—His Opinion On  
Needs of Office.

### HIS SUCCESSOR IS POPULAR

At the special meeting of the board of public works next Monday afternoon or at the regular meeting two days later Ed P. Noble, first president of the board, will become an ex-official and Dr. J. Q. A. Taylor will assume his place. A presiding officer to fill out the unexpired term of President Noble will be chosen.

While deep regret has been expressed on all sides that President Noble insisted on his resignation being accepted, Mayor Yeiser has been the recipient of many congratulations on his choice of a successor to President Noble. Dr. Taylor seems to meet with the fullest approval of the citizens.

The retirement of President Noble brings to light the fact that he first consented to serve only after much importunity on part of Mayor Yeiser and thought he then would be only temporarily in office. He has never used a cent of his salary from the city giving all of it away to charity.

"I did that," said President Noble, "because I did not desire that anyone could say I was in office for the money. In fact, although I am retiring now because I move into my new home, I did not seek office and I do not intend to make fight for it or subject myself to criticism by holding on to it when my right might be questioned. As to my change of residence affecting my status, I shall manifest my opinion by registering at my usual voting place in the city. I think I have a right to vote here."

President Noble clings to the opinion that the time is fast approaching when Paducah must have a president of the board on such a salary that he can devote his whole time to the work. He is better acquainted with the duties and responsibilities of the position than anyone else, and he stated today that it soon will be impossible for Paducah to secure competent service without a liberal salary. But he adds that the city would save more than the salary every year by the little economies such an official might enforce.

**Lockett for District Attorney.**  
Henderson, Ky., June 8.—The Henderson bar, without distinction of party, endorsed the Hon. John P. Lockett for United States district attorney for the western district, to succeed the late R. D. Hill. This is an unprecedented distinction in this city.

**Comes From Mexico.**  
M. Sanchez Marmol, of Mexico City, arrived yesterday to accept a position with the E. E. Sutherland Medicine company. The company is preparing to establish a branch plant in Mexico and Mr. Marmol comes to serve as interpreter and to prepare the advertising matter and handle the Spanish correspondence.

**Will Not Sell At Auction.**  
Hopkinsville, Ky., June 8.—General Manager Felix G. Ewing, of the Dark Tobacco Planters' Protective association, has issued a card in which he states that the association "positively will not sell tobacco at auction."

**May Bar Chicago Products.**  
Cleveland, O., June 8.—Chicago packing house meats may be excluded from the Cleveland market if the ideas of Health Officer Friedrich prevail. Friedrich is now attending the meeting of the American Medical society in Boston.

**Jealousy the Cause.**  
During the commencement exercises at Berea college yesterday, in the presence of several thousand persons, Mrs. Nannie Nuckols shot and instantly killed Mrs. Viana Black. Jealousy is said to have been the motive for the crime.

The trustees of the state college yesterday met in Lexington and received the report of the special committee which visited state institutions elsewhere. The report was not made public, but it is understood that an increase in appropriation will be asked

The circulation of The Sun for May averaged 4,001 a day.  
When you advertise in The Sun you know what you are doing—you are not buying space, but circulation.

### NEW HOSE

Will Be Purchased for the Fire Department at Once.

The joint fire committee of the general council will meet this afternoon for the purpose of meeting Fire Chief Wood and learning just what is wanted in the way of new fire hose. Chief Wood says about 3,000 feet of new hose is needed. Hose is bought every two years. Chief Wood will recommend cloth brand. He thinks it can be bought for 80 or 90 cents. The committee has been authorized by both boards to receive bids for the hose and is meeting immediately as the department is in need of it right away.

### Attacked By Hogs.

Cadiz, Ky., June 8.—A little five-year-old son of Huler Wynn, living several miles north of here, while playing with some young pigs, was attacked by the mother, a very large sow, and was torn almost to pieces before assistance reached him. The little fellow was not dead at last report, but his recovery is considered almost impossible.

## CHURCH PROPERTY

WILL BE SUBJECT OF LITIGATION IN SHORT TIME.

**Cumberland Loyalists of Texas Will Sue Presbyterian Church in Court.**

Dallas, Tex., June 8.—After conferring together, Judge F. H. Prendergast, of Marshall, leader of the state movement against the union of the northern Presbyterian and the Cumberland Presbyterian church, and H. A. R. Horton, leader of the local members, who are opposed to the union, declared that suit would be instituted in Dallas by the Cumberland Presbyterian church for the possession of the property known as the First Cumberland church of Dallas.

### City Ordinance Upheld.

Frankfort, Ky., June 8.—The court of appeals reversed the Hopkins circuit court in the commonwealth, for Madisonville, vs. C. S. Price. Appellee was indicted for violation of the city ordinance making it "unlawful for an infant or female to go into or be in longer than five minutes, or drink intoxicating liquors in any saloon," etc. The penalty provided revocation of license and fine.

## PADUCAH HONORED

**SECRETARY COONS VICE-PRESIDENT OF COMMISSION.**

**Southern States Immigration Bureau Established in New York City At Once.**

D. W. Coons, secretary of the Paducah Commercial club, representing Kentucky, was elected vice-president and member of the executive committee of the Southern States Immigration commission, which is holding its first session in New York City, and which decided to establish a distribution bureau at 156 Fifth avenue, that city, for the purpose of diverting the stream of immigration southward.

The New York World says: "T. K. Bruner, of North Carolina, was elected president; D. W. Coons, of Kentucky, vice president; and David Robinson, of Georgia, secretary and treasurer."

"The executive committee decided to establish in New York city a bureau of distribution to secure and direct desirable immigrants to the south. David Robinson was chosen commissioner in charge. The Rev. Dr. Thomas R. Sugar, representing his native state of Maryland, was chosen chairman of the executive committee. The bureau will have headquarters at No. 156 Fifth avenue."

Only phrases heal none of the world's wounds.

## "PISTOL TOTERS" TO WEAR BADGES

New Scheme Introduced in the  
Louisiana Legislature.

Consul Reports That Germans Relish  
Horse Flesh and Eat Good Old  
Dog Sausage.

### BOTTLE FOUR YEARS IN SEA

New Orleans, June 8.—If the bill which W. L. Stirling, of West Feliciana parish, has just introduced into the legislature is passed pistol "toters" in Louisiana will be compelled to wear large badges on their fronts. The act provide that any person over 24 years old, who has not been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor, shall be permitted to carry a pistol concealed on paying the sheriff a fee of \$25 per annum and \$1 for a badge. The badge is to be of aluminum, not less than two inches in diameter and inscribed with the word "Pistol" in large letters.

### Survived By 217 Descendants.

South Bend, Ind., June 8.—Mrs. Harriet Stone, whose funeral was held today, is survived by fourteen children, 165 grandchildren, thirty-six great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Mrs. Stone was 81 years old and resided in South Bend for thirty years.

### Germans Relish Dog Flesh.

Washington, June 8.—While Americans are worrying over the disclosures in regard to the methods in vogue at the packing houses and trying to become vegetarians, the Germans are eating canine steaks and dog chops with great relish, and with them bow-wow sausage has long ceased to be a joke. They know very well what it is made of, and they like it.

### Four Years in Sea.

New York, June 8.—"Whoever gets this please send it to me as soon as possible, and let me know where you come from."

That was a message that 12-year-old Minnie Miller wrote on a piece of school paper, put in a bottle and threw into the water from Sequin point, on the south side of Staten island, on the 15th day of August, 1902. She has just received a letter from Harold E. Nettleford, a British officer on one of the Scilly islands, telling of the finding of the bottle.

## MEMORIAL DAY

WILL BE OBSERVED BY ODD  
FELLOWS JUNE 17.

**Metropolis and Brookport Lodges Will Participate in Exercises in Paducah.**

The three Paducah lodges of Odd Fellows are making extensive preparations for their memorial services which will be held at Oak Grove on Sunday afternoon, June 17. Letters have been received from Metropolis and Brookport lodges stating that both towns will send big delegations on that day to participate in the service.

The Metropolis band has been secured for the occasion, the lodges being unable to procure a local band, and local lodge men will go down to attend the Metropolis memorial services on the following Sunday, June 24. Both services will be made as attractive as possible, the best speakers being procured for addresses. Final arrangements for the local service were made last night at a meeting of the lodges and the program will be printed this week.

### Will Call Convention.

Bowling Green, Ky., June 8.—The Third district Republican executive committee will hold a meeting at the Mansard hotel to fix the time, place and manner of selecting a candidate for congress to oppose James M. Richardson, of Glasgow.

Mrs. M. A. Boushey, of Greenville, Tex., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Warden.

**"MARSE" HENRY, TOO.**  
Louisville, Ky., June 8.—In tomorrow's Courier-Journal, under caption "Hurrah for Bryan," Henry Watterson comes out flatly for the Nebraska statesman as Democratic nominee for president and predicts his nomination by states before the meeting of the convention.

**BRYAN WAVE HITS OHIO.**  
Cincinnati, O., June 8.—The Bryan political wave has reached Cincinnati. Articles of incorporation were sent to Columbus today for the legal forming of the Bryan Democratic club. An invitation already has been cabled to Bryan to stop in Cincinnati on the way from New York to Nebraska.

## LANG PARK PLANS ARE CONSIDERED

Curbing of Vermont Marble  
And Fountains Proposed.

Progress Reported in Preliminaries  
to Making Boulevard of Tenth  
Street.

### APPRAISERS ARE APPOINTED

Lang park will be improved with out delay, according to the plans of the board of park commissioners, which met at the city hall this morning at the call of Dr. D. G. Murrell, president of the board.

Commissioners Charles Reed and George Walters were appointed a committee to secure estimates on the cost of building a curb of Vermont marble around the enclosure and constructing one or two fountains in the park. They will report at the next meeting of the board.

Progress in the matter of making a boulevard of Tenth street was reported by members and it was stated that encouragement has been met with in the project. A committee of real estate men was appointed to view the property to be purchased or condemned for the purpose of widening the street and estimate its value. The committee is composed of C. E. Jennings, W. M. James, Eli Boone, J. P. Holt, R. G. Caldwell and E. W. Whittemore.

### LINCOLN SCHOOL

Commencement Tonight at the Kentucky Theater.

The Lincoln high school, colored, will have its commencement exercises tonight at The Kentucky. Already the sale of seats has been heavy and a large house is assured. The school board will occupy a box.

### SUNDAY PROGRAM

Of Chautauqu Will Be Considered  
By Ministers.

The ministerial association met this morning at 9 o'clock in the Broadway Methodist church to discuss what attitude it should take in regard to the Sunday program of the coming Chautauqu at Wallace park. The ministers of the city desire to have a program which the Christian people in the city can enjoy without any feeling that the Sabbath was being disregarded in spirit. It was decided that a committee of three ministers and three of the Chautauqu directors should meet tonight at 8 o'clock and try to arrange a Sunday program for both afternoon and night which the ministerial association could endorse.

### Emergency Reservoir Formed.

Hopkinsville, Ky., June 8.—A monster dam, 700 feet long, has been completed by the Hopkinsville Water company about four miles east of this city, for the purpose of forming an emergency reservoir. Two hundred feet in the middle of the dam is built of concrete, while the remainder is of earth. It is 17 feet high, and will hold about 125,000,000 gallons of water, which will cover forty acres.

### Judge Hargis Indicted.

Jackson, Ky., June 8.—The Breathitt grand jury returned an indictment today against Judge James Hargis, former county judge of Breathitt county, charging him with the murder of Dr. J. B. Cox, who was assassinated nearly three years ago here, on the streets. He was a kinsman of James Cockrill, for whose alleged murder Hargis is also under indictment.

## MISS CROOKS IS SUPERINTENDENT

Decided on to Succeed Miss  
Farley at Riverside.

Capable Head Nurse in Surgical Ward  
Will Assume Charge of Institution Next Month.

### PRIVACY FOR ALL PATIENTS

Miss Annie Crooks head surgical nurse at Riverside hospital, will succeed Miss Frances Farley as superintendent of Riverside hospital. This announcement was made by a member of the board of directors, and is final and authentic.

The matter of selecting a successor to Miss Farley was referred to a committee with power to act. This means that the board of directors will abide by the decision of the committee.

This morning a member of the committee stated positively that Miss Crooks would be recommended, and her election or appointment remains only a matter of form.

Miss Crooks came to Paducah a year ago from Louisville. She is a graduate of Louisville and thoroughly competent to hold the position. She has been head nurse in the surgical department, having charge of the operating room, and is at present in Louisville taking her vacation. Miss Crooks will return June 15 and the board will meet July 1 and formally appoint her to the position. She will assume immediate charge, Miss Farley's resignation being effective on that date.

### Private Treatment.

"One stumbling block in the way of the Riverside hospital in regard to securing female patients is newspaper notoriety given cases brought to the hospital for treatment," Dr. Frank Boyd, secretary of the hospital board, declared this morning, "and I want to make a statement to set the public right in this matter."

"Some women are inclined to treat the matter of entering a hospital, even though it be as excellent and well kept one as Riverside hospital, with delicacy. They seem to be reluctant, and this is because they fear newspaper notoriety. I want to say that the rules and regulations of Riverside hospital forbid, positively prohibit, any nurse or attaché of the institution from giving out any information relative to cases of any kind being treated in the hospital. If any information is furnished the press it does not come from the hospital or any of its officers. Any one can be free from publicity if she warns the physician not to tell."

## LEADERSHIP

CONFERRED ON BLACKBURN BY  
CAUCUS TOMORROW.

**Senator Bailey is Slated to Succeed Him at Expiration of His Present Term.**

Washington, June 8.—The selection of Senator Blackburn to succeed Senator Gorman as chairman of the Democratic caucus and floor leader of the minority in the senate probably will be made tomorrow. An effort will be made to get Senator Bailey to accept the vice chairmanship preparatory to his probable promotion to the chairmanship at the expiration of Senator Blackburn's term.

### Not Much Left in Germany.

Berlin, June 8.—Exclusion, inspection and tariff laws have left the American meat trade of Germany in such a state of paralysis that the packing scandals are not likely to do it much further damage. However, in all probability the agrarians will seize upon the scandal as a pretext for persuading the government to institute still more rigorous measures against what remains of the fatherland's once enormous importation of American stock-yards products.

### Indiana Plants to Be Inspected.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 8.—Every slaughter house and meat packing plant in Indiana is to be investigated immediately by the state board of health. The inspection will be thorough and will cover both the sanitary and the pure food features.

Fair and continued warm tonight and Saturday is the forecast. The highest temperature reached yesterday was 92 and the lowest reached this morning was 75.

### TRAVELING MEN

Go to Buffalo to Attend National T. P. A. Convention.

The Paducah delegation of traveling men to the national T. P. A., which meets at Buffalo, N. Y., Monday for a week's session, will leave tomorrow. The Paducah delegation is headed by Alderman O. B. Starks and is composed of Messrs. J. A. Bauer, F. E. Lack, H. A. Peter, Harry Hank and Adolph Weil. The wives of several delegates will accompany them and in addition Mr. Hank's sister, Miss Pauline Roth, Miss Rosa Kolb and several others will also accompany the party.

### For Commissioner.

Versailles, Ky., June 8.—The Woodford Sun, in its issue of tomorrow morning, will say: "It is our opinion that J. W. Newman, who has been considered likely to be a factor in the congressional race, has no present intention of that kind. We believe that Mr. Newman, who is himself a farmer and takes a deep interest in agricultural matters, will run for commissioner of agriculture."

## DIDN'T WORK

ITINERANT TINNER GETS "23"  
FROM ALDERMAN HANK.

**Fellow Left Fire Pot in Hardware Store and Then It Quickly Disappeared.**

Alderman Harry Hank did not know to what extent a tramp went in trying to swindle him until last night when he met Magistrate Charles Emery and John J. Bleich.

A tramp with a fire pot for mending tinware, stepped into Alderman Hank's hardware store. He desired to leave his fire pot for a short time and set it near the door. No one paid any particular attention to the matter and in about an hour the stranger reappeared and demanded his property.

Some one had in the meantime come in and taken it away. The stranger threatened all sorts of prosecution and did go to both magistrates but was refused a warrant.

He wanted to prosecute the hardware man for not properly caring for his fire pot, and seeing this fail, tried to strike a compromise. He asked for a bar of solder, but the alderman gave him a notice of speedy departure and was not troubled with him again.

## SECOND OFFICE

**GOAL OF SOUTH TRIMBLE'S  
POLITICAL AMBITION.**

**Congressman From Ashland District Has Factional Affiliations, He Says.**

Washington, June 8.—Representative South Trimble, who recently stated that he would not stand for re-election as representative for the Ashland district, announced this morning that he would become a candidate for the Democratic nomination for lieutenant-governor. When asked if he would align himself with any organization or slate, Mr. Trimble said: "I shall make my race on my own merits. I shall not be a party to any slate-making if any slates are made, which I hope will not be the case."

### TENNIS CHAMPIONS.

**High School Tournament Ends and Medals Awarded.**

The tennis tournament, which was started several weeks ago by members of the High school, was finished this morning. The winners, to be known as champions, are Robert Hailey in singles and Robert Hailey and Dorothy Langstaff in doubles. The medals will be awarded this afternoon.

Mr. E. H. Covington went to Dawson this morning for a short stay.

## MATCH, GASOLINE AND AN EXPLOSION

Story of Automobile Destroyed  
By Fire.

Owner and Young Woman Stand Impotently By and Watch Flames Eat Machine.

### THEN THEY WALK BACK HOME

Houses, hay wagons, and some times street cars burn up, but the latest pyrotechnical stunt was performed near Sharpe, Marshall county, a few miles south of Paducah, last night, and as a result a fine machine is ruined and a prominent young man of Paducah and a young woman, had to "foot it" most of the way back to Paducah.

To be brief, Mr. Henry Arenz's fine \$1,500 Ford, double-seated, automobile burned up. The conflagration was complete and nothing remains of the machine except the metal parts.

Mr. Arenz noticed the machine running hard and stopped, thinking the engines were hot. After waiting some time he attempted to start but the machine refused to respond. He thought possibly the gasoline reservoir was empty and getting down under the machine turned on the reservoir cock. No gasoline came, and a match was brought into service. Mr. Arenz did not take the necessary precaution to use the other end, but stuck the sulphur end of the lucifer into the cock. He was probing to see if it was stopped up.

In pulling the match out it scratched and lighted. There was a flash of flame and the machine was enveloped in flame.

There was no water or means of any kind to extinguish the blaze and the two experienced the painful ordeal of seeing a fine automobile burn up.

This morning expert machinists from the Foreman shop were sent out to view the remains of the machine. It is said that nothing but the iron parts remain. The body of the machine was burned off, the wooden wheel spokes and even the rubber tires.

### GARBAGE CONTRACT.

**City Will Make Arrangements for Disposal Tomorrow.**

Today or tomorrow the sanitary committee of the general legislative boards and the board of health will let the contract for the disposal of the garbage of the city. A contract to collect and haul the garbage to the river will be let to one party, while the firm of Elliott & Ghent will have the contract to carry the garbage out into the channel of the river to insure its being carried away. It will be a three-months' contract.

### MORPHINE

**Taken By Young Woman On Norton Street.**

Willie Underwood, 22 years old, residing on Norton street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, took between six and eight grains of morphine last night about 10 o'clock. The young woman was found by her mother, Mrs. James Underwood, in a semi-conscious condition. Dr. B. T. Hall was summoned and administered an antidote. After several hours of hard work he brought her around. She is in ill health.

### IMPROVEMENTS

**To the Palmer House Are Progressing Rapidly.**

The contract has been given for the new bar fixtures at the Palmer house bar. The new chairs for the barber shop have arrived and will be installed in the new location of the shop, where the writing room now is, when the renovation gets to that point. Cement work on the basement has commenced and all the work about the hotel will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

### SOUTH DAKOTA DEMOCRATS

**Strongly Indorse Bryan for Presidency in 1908.**

Yankton, S. D., June 8.—The South Dakota Democratic convention, which was held here today, strongly indorsed Bryan for president in 1908.